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For:

Combination Therapies with L-FMAU for the Treatment of Hepatitis B Virus

Infection

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petitioner respectfully requests a 3-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Official Action (nonfinal rejection) dated October 17, 2006. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3732, Order No. 04674.105074 (TRI 1016).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3732, Order No. 04674.105074 (TRI 1016).

Respectfully submitted,

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